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amounting to \$116,700 are practically worth-

"There appears to be nothing among the

Case in Police Court.

John T. Hoag, assistant cashler of the

Aetna Banking and Trust Company, which

was closed by the controller of the cur-

rency about two weeks ago, and who is

charged jointly with E. W. McCormick, R.

8. Donaldson and Miss Barbara Kretsch-

His Statement.

he was not guilty of any criminal acts, but

added that, as he was not yet familiar with

the specific act with which he is charged, he

of some transactions between the western office of this company and the local bank

yesterday afternoon and one wheel of the

vehicle passed over his head. Mansfield

was removed to Georgetown University

Hospital on a street car by Policeman

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#### AETNABANK CONDITION | ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS

STATEMENT ISSUED BY CONTROL-WEDDING AT RESIDENCE OF CAPT. HERBERT BRYANT.

W. B. Ridgely, controller of the currency, has given out the following state-ALEXANDRIA, Va., October 81, 1906. ment relative to the defunct Aetna bank of A home wedding occurred at noon today at the residence of Capt. Herbert Bryant, "A report received at this office from 306 North Washington street, when his daughter, Miss Agnes Carlyle Bryant, and the receiver of the Aetna Banking and Lieut, John Downs, U. S. N., were married. Trust Company at Butte, Mont., indicates that the condition of affairs there is nearly The ceremony occurred in the drawing

as bad as that at the branch bank in this rooms. Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, officiat-"The deposits, including those representing. The drawing rooms were decorated with white chrysanthemums. The bride ened by certificates, exceed \$350,000; other tered on the arm of her father, who gave liabilities indicate that the total will be her in marriage. The wedding march was rendered by an orchestra from Washington. "The receiver found only \$9,000 of cash The bride was becomingly gowned in handin the bank. An asset appearing on the books as a liability of the New York office for \$197,000 is wholly worthless, as no as-sets whatever have been found at 88 Wall street, New York, where the bank former-ly conducted some sort of a branch bank. embroidered Japanese crepe and carried a bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Ruth Bryant, who acted as maid of honor. The latter was attired in a gown of pink marquisette and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was attended by Ensign J. O. Richardson as best man. "The branch bank at Washington, D. C., Following the ceremony a reception was held after which Lieut. and Mrs. Downs left for a trip west. They will reside at Des Molnes, Iowa. Only the immediate relatives of the families represented attended the wedding ceremony. is charged with \$42,400, which is worthless. Assets listed as stocks and securities

Charge of Selling Cocaine.

assets of substantial value, unless it can be found among the installment loans on William J. B. Duncan of the firm of Lenreal estate, of the nominal value of \$46,-439.69. non & Duncan, druggists, was arraigned in "The Aetna Banking and Trust Company is a corporation organized under the laws of West Virginia, and during the past few years there have been frequent large transfers of its stock. That the money of the depositors has been stolen is apparent; where it has gone its not so easy to dis the Police Court today on a charge of selling a patent catarrh powder alleged to contain cocaine. Mr. Duncan admitted having sold the drug, but claimed that he immediately discontinued the sale of same when he ascertained that it contained cocaine, which was after the trial of Howard Banks, colored, who murdered Thomas Elzey, also colored. The defendant also claimed that he did not sell the remedy in large quantiwhere it has gone is not so easy to dis-cover. The officers whose duty it is to prosecute criminals have been notified, both at Butte and in this city, and are cooperating with the receivers to apprehend and punish the guilty."

The complaining witness against Mr. Duncan were four colored people named Bryant. Justice Caton held that the law had been violated and imposed a fine of \$75. Mr. Duncan noted an appeal.

Search for Alleged Murderer. Policeman Herbert Knight, who had been to Logania, Pa., in search of William Johnson, alias George Midget, colored, wanted mann with conspiracy to defraud the United States, was arraigned in the Police for the murder of Charles T. Smith, returned last night. It was also hoped to locate Frank Robinson, who is wanted by

Court this morning on the conspiracy charge. He pleaded not guilty and waived the preliminary hearing, as was done by all the others charged in the warrant. He was then held for the action of the grand jury, giving bond late this afternoon in the sum of \$2,000 for his appearance in the higher court when required. the police as an accomplice to the murder and also for an assault on Policeman Nich-olson. While the policeman's search was barren of immediate results it is understood higher court when required.

Mr. Hoag was arrested in Chicago and that he secured information of value.

The committee having charge of the solwas brought back to this city yesterday by Detective Burlingame. He was held in the first precinct station last night. emn vesper service next Sunday at St. Mary's Catholic Church at 7:30 o'clock in the evening under the auspices of Fitz-gerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Co-lumbus, have perfected all arrangements for the same. Rev. Father Albert Nega-hauquet, a Pottawatomie Indian from Ok-In regard to the charge against him, Mr. Hoag told a Star reporter today that lahoma. who is a student at the Apostolic

Mission House, Brookland, D. C., will be the celebrant. A sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered by Very Rev. Alexander P. Doyle, C. S. P., superior of the Apostolic Mission House, Brookcould not make any statement at the pres-"I guess it is the men back of me that you want," commented Mr. Hoag to Detec-tive Burlingame, according to the detec-tive's statement. He stated that he knew The old Gregorian vesper service will be chanted by a double sextet composed of seminarians from the Holy Cross College, Brookland.

Charges Against Firemen. which he objected to at the time, but he denied that he was a party to anything At a meeting of the Reliance Steam Fire Engine Company last evening, charges were preferred, it is said, against six members of the company for alleged failure to work at fires. The complainant, who is said to be a member of the company, failed to put in an appearance, so no action was taken in the matter. In the police court today Matthew Simms was sentenced to serve twenty days in jail on a charge of vagrancy. The case of Lillian Blair and Melville Terrell, charged with disorderly conduct and fight-Frederick H. Mansfield, colored, fifty-five years of age, whose home is at 1152 16th along Wisconsin avenue near Grant road

> Brief Mention. The condition of Eugene Wilson, colored who was shot yesterday morning by a boy

Jacobson and given treatment. He received named Willis, also colored, remains unseveral scalp wounds, but his skull was not changed. It is not thought that he will fractured. He was able to go home this recover. The shooting occurred in Alexandria county, and it is said that the county A small boy named Harry Crampton, authorities will take action in the matter. whose parents reside at 3255 Prospect ave-Soon after the arrival of the boy at the Alexandria Hospital yesterday afternoon an ante-mortem statement was secured.

It is said that Messrs. Machen and Moncure, attorneys for Howard Banks, colored, nue, was bitten by a dog yesterday and painfully injured. He was taken home and The regular and junior choirs of Grace Episcopal Church, Wisconsin avenue and Grace street, are to unite. Mr. F. H. Dassett will be the director and Miss Emilie R. who was yesterday sentenced to be hanged January 11 next for the murder of Thomas

Elzey, also colored, will apply to the Su-preme Court for a writ of error and super-Smedes, organist. The united choir will make its first appearance Sunday, Novemsedeas in the case.

No change is apparent in the strike situa. ber 11, at the morning service.

Policeman Robert H. Clark of the seventh tion among the machinists employed by the Southern Railway Company here. The railroad officials deny that the men from the Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadelprecinct is at Hunter, Va., for a stay of

Mr. Robert Wright of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chaffee at 1666 Avon place, has returned home. phia, who arrived here several days ago to put several engines together, have gone to work.

#### GENERAL NEWS GATHERED ON THE RIVER FRONT

The machinery of the marine railway at Alexandria, which was so badly damaged by fire about ten days ago as to be rendered worthless and to put the railway out of commission, is to be replaced with new machinery at once, and within a short time it is thought that the railway will be in working order and ready to haul out large vessels. The new machinery has been ordered and, it is stated, is on its way to Al-exandria and will be installed as soon as

exandria and will be installed as soon as it arrives. The railway itself is to be given an overhauling before it is put in service again. This railway is the only one of its kind in this section on which vessels of large size can be hauled out.

Arrived: Tug Edward Gummell, towing two coal-laden barges from Baltimore, laden with hard coal for Georgetown; Winnie Windsor, Oyster Boy, Bessie Ford, Ella, Lydia Vernon, Dove and Plumle E. Smith, oysters from Potomac beds; steam barge E. James Tull, cord wood from the lower E. James Tull, cord wood from the lower river, at Alexandria; schooner Marion Cameron, towing sand and gravel laden scows from Piscataway creek; tug Camilla, with a

from Piscataway creek; tug Camilla, with a tow from the lower Potomac.
Salled: Schooner Thomas and Henry, light, for a bay point to enter the oyster dredging trade; sloop Enolia, light, for the Potomac oyster beds to load a cargo for this market; schooner Leroy, light, for a river point to load cord wood for this city; schooner J. T. Parks, light, for a river point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port; schooner Ella, light, for a river point to load for this city; schooner Peri, from Alexandria, with a general cargo for Cole's Landing.

Peri, from Alexandria, with a general cargo for Cole's Landing.

Memoranda: Schooner Thelma has arrived at Jacksonville, Fla., and is loading a cargo of pine lumber there for this port; tug William H. Yerkes has salled from the Great Wicomico river for this port with the barge Baltimore in tow; schooner Lizzie Williams, unloading a cargo of lumber and shingles here, will return to a North Carolina port to load again for this city; schooner Sidney Jones is at Liverpool point loading a cargo of cord wood for dealers here; barge Chesapeake, laden with asphalt brick from this city, arrived at Richmond, Va., 29th instant. , 29th instant.

The big barge Lucretia, loaded with about

The big barge Lucretia, loaded with about 600 tons of coal from Baltimore, has arrived at the naval proving grounds at Indian Head, Md. The barge will be taken up Mattawoman creek and docked at the smokeless powder pler to unload her cargo, which will be used at the powder plant and at the proving grounds as well.

The little tug Baby, belonging to the Columbia National Sand Dredging Company of this city, is hauled out on the marine railway at Bennett's boat yard to have her shaft and wheel replaced, and for such repair work as may be necessary. The tug will, it is expected, be put overboard today.

The Italian cruiser Fieramosca, which spent several days in port here last month, has sailed from Boston for Baltimore, where she will be docked for an overhauling before returning to tropical waters. It is expected she will be about two months

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DR. McGEE'S LECTURE. Describes Her Experiences as Nurse

in Russo-Japanese War. Many pleasant things were said about the Japanese and their friendliness for the Americans by Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee last night at the home of her father, Prof. Newcomb, 1620 P street. The occasion was announced by Dr. McGee as her farewell lecture on "A Woman's Experience in the Japanese Army." Since her return from the

blossom she has delivered the lecture over the length and breadth of the United States. Dr. McGee's guests last night in the large parlors of the Newcomb home were the members of Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, United Spanish War Veterans, headed by Commander G. E. Rausch. Dr. McGee is an active member of the camp. She enjoys the distinction of being the only woman who is eligible to membership in the United Spanish War Veterans. Her eligibility is based on her service in the war with Spain as an acting assistant surgeon with the rank of a commissioned officer of

of realistic photographic views which were secured by Dr. McGee during the Japanese-Russian war while she was supervisor of a number of American nurses in Japan under number of American nurses in Japan under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. During that struggle her offer of personal assistance was accepted by the Japanese government and Red Cross Society. The minister of war appointed Dr. McGee "kangofu kantoku" (supervisor of nurses) with rank of officer in the Japanese army, and the was cent to inspect and report on and she was sent to inspect and report on various hospitals in Japan and on the Yalu iver (Manchusia and Korea), traveling on

the hospital ship Kosai Maru.

During the whole of the time the party spent in Japan the appreciation and grati-ude of the soldiers and of the whole nation, from the throne itself and the highest hobility down to the country folk and school children, found expression in a thousand ways. His majesty, the emperor, bestowed on Dr. McGee the Order of the Sacred on Dr. McGee the Order of the Sacred Crown, a very rare honor, and she received also the special decoration of the Red Cross Society. Each of the nurses also re-ceived decorations.

The lecture depicted the peculiar features of her welcome, which was thoroughly characteristic of "the polite nation;" of pre-sentations to the empress and various mem-bers of the imperial family; of the Japanese army as she saw it from the inside; of the immense military hospitals and how they are managed; of the Red Cross Society, with its membership of nearly a million; of the are managed; of the Red Cross Society, with its membership of nearly a million; of the work of the Japanese nurses and of her own party; of the life at the city of Hiroshima (and its port, Ujina), which was the base of the Japanese army; of the honors shown the dead; of the wonderful experiences of some of the wounded soldiers, and how their characteristics and habits throw light on the whole conduct of the throw light on the whole conduct of the war; of the fine hospital ships; of how she lived in Chinese temples and was carried over the Yalu battlefield by Koreans; and of Russian prisoners and their treatment as she saw it in Manchuria, on the hospital

ships, and at Matsuyama.

At the conclusion of the interesting lecture refreshments were served to Dr. Mc-

#### VISITS OLD HOME. Local Resident Notes Progress at

Mr. B. D. Drane, one of the oldest inhabitants of this city has returned from a visit to the scenes of his childhood and youth at Dranesville, Va., much gratified to

have found on every hand evidence of improvement during the eighteen years of his absence. He says that Dranesville was founded as long ago as 1814, and named for its founder, James Washington Drane. For half a century or more it was more of a place in name than existence, but become better known to the general public through the civil war. It is, however, with the surrounding country, "looking up," for the half dozen houses of 2ante-bellum days have been replaced by new structures, or have been enlarged or improved, and a dozen or more have been added in the last few years. Jenkin's Hotel, with two stores and a blacksmith and wheelwright shop are in the village, and houses of the farmers are close by on every hand.

Though three or four miles from the railroads, steam and trolley, many "city people" have settled in and about the village. The old Drane place has passed into the hands of a Washingtonian, a handsome cottage takes the place of the homestead and there are other city folks settled thereabouts. place in name than existence, but become

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At Dogue Run, Mr. Murray of this city,
with half a dozen others, have settled
and possibly will in a few years adopt a
more dignified name, as has the River Bend
of old, with its half dozen dwellings, which
is now known as Laysville. Herndon, a few
years since a struggling village, has about
600 inhabitants and is thriving with some
home industries, a canning house, a saw
and planing mill, flour mill, wheelwright
and blacksmith shops, eight or ten stores,
etc. Some of the streets have been improved by paving. While gratified by the
signs of progress on every hand, Mr. Drane
was disappointed not to be able to find
many of his schoolmates of seventy years
ago. Some, he says, have removed to other
places and others to the great beyond, excepting Mrs. Cockrell, Mrs. Carper and
John H. Hirst.

#### Changes in Lighthouse Service. The following changes in lighthouse keep-

ers in this district have recently been made by Commander Lloyd, U. S. N. lighthouse inspector for the district: Charles S. Hud-gins, assistant keeper of the Maryland Point lighthouse on the Potomac river, has been transferred to the Deep Water Shoals

station, Va., and Mr. George W. Ward of Somerset county, Md., has been appointed to the lighthouse service and will succeed Mr. Hudgins at Maryland Point light.

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#### HEALTH OFFICE STATISTICS. Decrease in Number of Deaths as Com-

pared With Previous Report. The mortality record for the District during the week ended Saturday last is as fol-

The mortality of the past week shows a

land of the chrysanthemum and cherry gratifying decrease in numbers since the previous week, there being but 99 deaths, as compared with 121. Of these recent deaths 50 were white persons and 49 colored. The total mortality during the same period of 1905 was 112 deaths. The death rates per 1,000 per annum for the past week were as follows: White, 11.2; colored, 26.8, and total, 15.8. During the previous week the rates were: White, 16.4; colored, 26.3, and total, 19.3, and during the 1905 period, 15.9, 22.9 and 18.0, respectively. The principal causes of the recent mortality malignant growths, 8; heart disease, 7; apoplexy, 5; pneumonia, 7, and typhoid fever, 3. There were 17 deaths under one year, as compared with 23 the previous week, and 18 during the 1905 period.

The changes noted on the record of reported cases of contagious diseases during

Diphtheria shows an increase of 12 since the previous week, there being 20 new reports received and 8 discharged (one by death), leaving 39 cases in quarantine Scarlet fever shows an increase of 5 cases since the previous week. There were 6 new cases reported and but 1 discharged as recovered, making a total of 15 cases in quar-

The typhoid fever conditions show a decrease in the total numbers from 243 at close of the week ended on the 20th instant, to 225. There were 40 new cases reported and 58 discharges (3 by death), making a total of 225 cases under treatment. During the previous week there were 56 new cases reported, and during the same week of last year 38 new cases were reported, and said week closed with 179 cases on hand. The District is still free from any cases of smallpox.

There were 115 births reported during the report period. Of these 78 were white and 37 colored infants. During the same period of 1905 there were 98 births reported. The weather conditions, as reported by the weather bureau, were as follows: Mean 95 per cent; mean barometer, 30.14. The winds were northeasterly in direction, averaging 5 miles an hour. The maximum temperature was 75, on the 23d instant, and the minimum was 42 degrees, on the

### Hoar's Condition Serious.

WORCE of ER, Mass., October 31.-Representative E. Rockwood Hoar's condition showed no signs of improvement during last night. His physician, Dr. Frederick H. Baker, stated early today that Mr. Hoar was still very seriously ill and that during the past day or two he had lost considerable

### Catarrh of the Stomach.

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languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition. The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson, the safest and best

According to Dr. Harianson, the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, com-posed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of now be found at all did some made the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and asturance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals. Mr. R. S. Workman, Chicago, Ills., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to ex-press my good feeling. I have found flesh, appe-tite and sound rest from their use."

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several weeks.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., October 31, 1906. George M. Smith, the democratic candidate for Congress from the fifth congressional district, addressed an audience in Masonic Hall here last evening. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Hyattsville Democratic Club. William T. Casey called the meeting to order and Jackson H. Ralston presided and introduced the speakers. The vice presidents were Mayor Joseph R. Owens, Dr. Charles A. Wells, Judge Arthur Carr, W. P. Magruder and J. W. Carter. Brooke Hunter and Frank

Mudd served as secretaries. Mr. Smith, in reply to Mr. Mudd's sertion that he voed for the representative on three different occasions, contended that the charge was ridiculous and, even if true, it was impossible for Mr. Mudd to prove the statement, because of the existence of the

secret ballot.

Continuing, Mr. Smith declared Mr. Mudd is a very badly frightened man. Referring to the assertion that it was through Mr. Mudd's influence that the Naval Academy Mudd's influence that the Naval Academy was retained at Annapolis and large appropriations secured for the reconstruction of the buildings there, Mr. Smith declared that the buildings were in such a dilapidated state that Congress would have made the appropriations even though the fifth congressional district had been without representation. He admitted that Mr. Mudd had participated in the movement to secure the appropriation and that he had been of service to his district in other particulars, but contended that Mr. Mudd had done no more than any other representative desiring

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Mr. Smith declares that Mr. Mudd had done nothing to advance the agricultural interests of southern Maryland, a section where he secured most of his following. Referring to promises made by Mr. Mudd, Mr. Smith remarked, "If I am elected to Congress I will promise to see that a dry dock is constructed at Bladensburg," and the statement created much laughter when the point of the statement was appreciated. dock is constructed at Bladensburg," and the statement created much laughter when the point of the statement was appreciated. "I have made a house-to-house canvass in Baltimore," Mr. Smith announced, "and I want to say that I honestly believe I am going to be elected. While I glory in the fact that I am a friend of the laboring man and a member of a labor organization, I pride myself also that I am a democrat and always have been a straight one. I have never accused Mr. Mudd of being a republican, and he never has been one. He is a Mudd man pure and simple. He has built up a powerful machine in southern Maryland counties, and I defy any young man, young or old, to hope to aspire to political office in these counties without first securing the consent and approval of Mr. Mudd."

The other speakers were Joseph Fanning of Riverdale, Fillmore Beall of Beltsville and Robert W. Wells of Hyattsville.

The most singular bargain on record was driven by Titus Sim, an upper servant on the Middlecott estate. Learn its nature by iel Sweetland," which The Star will publish serially beginning November 3, prior to book publication. It is seventh of the

Strangest Bargain on Record.

John Sullivan, wanted for manslaughter by the police of Baltimore, Md., has been arrested at Limerick, Ireland, and is being brought to Bow street police court, London,